

[Mr. N. Ramakrishna Pillai.]

(b) whether there is any objection to grant them admission to these schools, and, if so, what the nature of the objection is ;

(c) whether they are aware that there are a large number of Pulaya children seeking admission to these schools, and that there are no other schools anywhere near where they could gain admission ;

(d) whether they have received any complaint from Pulayas against their exclusion from these schools, and if so, whether any enquiry will be made into those complaints ; and

(e) whether they will remove the above schools to more convenient sites, if they are inaccessible to all classes at present ?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*) :

(a) Pulayas are not given admission to the Vechur Primary school, while the Manjur Primary school has been declared open to pupils of all classes.

(b) The objection to admit pupils to the Vechur school is due to its proximity to a temple.

(c) The Director reports that there are three primary schools in the Vechur pakuthi open to all classes.

(d) Petitions have been received and they have been forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for necessary action.

(e) The question of removing the Vechur school to an unobjectionable locality will be considered.

*Mr. K. Paramesvaran Pillai, Police Inspector, Quilon,
versus Editor, Kera'a Chandrika.*

87. MR. N. RAMAKRISHNA PILLAI (*Vaikam cum Ettumanur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether they are aware of a criminal case of delamation filed by the Quilon Police Inspector, Mr. Paramesvaran Pillai, against the Editor of the "Kerala Chandrika" ;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Inspector is still allowed to be at Quilon, where the case is going on, in spite of the accused's petitioning for his transfer to some other place while the case is pending ; and

(c) whether the prosecution in this case is conducted at Government cost ?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(a) and (b) Yes.

(c) Government have agreed to recoup the expenses of the Inspector in the event of the prosecution being successful.

Rule 52 of the Registration Rules.

88. MR. N. RAMAKRISHNA PILLAI (*Vaikam cum Ettumanur*) :

(a) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that Rule 52 of the Rules passed under Section 64 of the Registration Regulation is working great hardship in practice ?